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Sir:

In response to the accompanying Notification of Defective Response mailed June 23, 2005, we enclose herewith the executed declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497.

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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Indication of Small Entity Status
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- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/05/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/05/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/05/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/05/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/14/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 10/05/2004
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/05/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/05/2004
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- Power of Attorney filed on 06/14/2005

Applicant's response filed 06/14/2005 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 04/15/2005 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - does not identify the application to which it is directed.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of **ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification** or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. **No extension** of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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